



**Dates for Diaries/
Datas para diário**

**9 Jan 2014
RC Silves
Lunch Meeting
12:00 for 12:30
Holiday Inn,
Armação de Pêra**

**15 Jan 2014
Coffee and Cake
Alvor, 11.00**

**30 Jan 2014
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Christmas Walk December 2013: Walkers from RC Silves and the Lions Club of Loulé gathered at Paderne to enjoy a lovely walk in the sunshine. It was a wonderful start to the festive season strolling around our beautiful Portuguese countryside. The walkers contributed food, gifts and money to support charities in Loulé and Silves. The walk was a gentle 6kms in length and during it we visited an ancient Roman bridge, the remains of a water mill and a well preserved bee-hive faggot oven, all overlooked by Paderne's Moorish Castle on its promontory. The walk was followed by a traditional lunch at Paraíso do Algarve. Walkers suggested to get together again in the Spring



when the flowers and orchids will be at their best. Thanks go to Norman Crocker and Ivan Ellison for their help in arranging such a lovely event.

Christmas get together: Due to lack of numbers the planned wine tasting and fado evening was cancelled. Members however enjoyed an evening of fun and fellowship at the O Cantinho restaurant in Alcantarilha. Sorry, we neglected to take photos!

Please read on to page 2 we have had a request for larger pictures so we need extra pages.

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Dinner last Thursday of the Month 19:00 for 19:30

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Coffee and Cake: The next Rotary Club Silves Coffee & Cake morning will be in Alvor at the home of Felicity Thoet on 15 JAN beginning at 11.00. Her address is nr.19, Rua Dr. Afonso Costa, 8500-016 Alvor. Parking is available in the empty lot opposite the front door of nr. 19. Please invite those friends and acquaintances in the western Algarve who like cake. This is a perfect opportunity to catch up with old friends and meet new ones. Minimum donations of 5€ per person are requested in aid of Castelo dos Sonhos. Please let Felicity know by Monday 13 JAN if you are joining her so that she knows how many people to expect. RSVP to fthoet@yahoo.com

Please Note: There is no dinner meeting next month. There are two lunch meetings!

Please let us know if you prefer the larger pictures and do not mind the extra pages.

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